

June 3, 1844

On a remote Icelandic island  
of ELDÉY, 3 sailors killed  
the last pair of flightless  
Great Auklets

June 8, 1844

## Walker Creek

Capt. John Coffee Hays and 14 Texas Rangers clashed with a Comanche force of 70 warriors. In a vicious close range battle, with their 5-shooter pistols working deadly execution the Rangers routed the enemy - the West's finest horsemen and among its finest fighters. The Comanches left behind 23 dead on the field, and

carried off (in Hays's estimate) 30 more wounded. Fewer than 20 escaped the battleground unharmed.

Hays lost 1 man killed and 4 wounded

Jack Hays was smooth-shorn, 5 ft 8" modest, soft spoken & thoughtful and a man of few words

June 15, 1844

Charles Goodyear received a patent  
for his process to strengthen rubber.

July 30, 1844

The New York Yacht Club  
was founded.

1844

Swedes adopted Nigerian  
Cal. rules in 1844

May 24, 1844

Samuel F. B. Morse transmitted  
the message "What hath God ~~wrought~~  
wrought" from Washington to  
Baltimore as he formerly opened  
America's first telegraph line

1844-1845

1912 Dates J-BK

The Notre Dame Cathedral  
in Paris was restored.

1844

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Increased opposition to the  
Mormons culminated in  
the assassination of ~~of~~  
Joseph Smith and HARRIS Smith.  
Brigham Young then became  
head of the Mormons.

Aug 14, 1844

Battle of Isly River

French infantry and cavalry  
routed native Moroccan and  
Algerian armies during large-  
scale battle along Isly River  
in Morocco, strengthening  
French control of Algeria

Jan 15, 1844

University of Notre Dame received  
its charter from the state of  
Indiana

26 JUNE 1844  
PRES JOHN TYLER  
WAS 1ST PRES TO  
BE MARRIED  
WHILE IN OFFICE.

1844

Joseph Smith presided over an Illinois city rivaled only by Chicago - NABOO, with 11,000 non-resident Smith was killed by a mob after ordering the destruction of a printing press used by his critics

1844

Medaria River Valley

Settled by Henry Castro Colony from  
Alsace Lorraine (now France) on  
a grant from Republic of Texas  
in 1844.

Typical examples of Alsacean  
architecture may be seen in  
Castroville

1844

The 153 survivors of the black  
bean affair (17 were shot of 170)  
were imprisoned in Mexico City  
until 1844 when Santa Anna's  
dying wife begged their release.  
This was done.

1844-1848

Fifty-four Forty or Fight  
famous slogan adopted by  
supporters of James K. POLK  
(Nov 2, 1795 - June 15, 1849)  
and of American claims to  
Oregon territory to 54° 40'  
parallel (1844-48)

1844

(1800-1860) Charles Goodyear

American inventor; born at New Haven, Ct. Went into business with his father, but failed in 1834. At this time he began experiments with a view to manufacturing india rubber. After discouraging failures, Goodyear finally succeeded in vulcanizing rubber & patented his process. (1844)

Dec 9, 1844

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Anson B. Jones was inaugurated  
president of Texas on Dec 9, 1844

1844

Count of Monte Cristo  
(Le Comte de Monte Cristo)

Popular romance 1844 about

comeback of falsely accused

Edmond Dantes, by French

Adventure novelist Alexandre DUMA

père (born Davy de la Pailleterie)

(July 24, 1802 - Dec 5, 1870)